



# AZISCOHOS LAKE

Lincoln, Parkertown, and Lynchtown Twps., Oxford County

U.S.G.S. Bosebuck Mountain, Maine-N.H. (7½'),

U.S.G.S. Lincoln Pond, Maine (7½'),

U.S.G.S. Richardson Pond, Maine (7½'), and

U.S.G.S. Wilsons Mills, Maine-N.H. (7½')

## Fishes

Landlocked salmon

Brook trout

Rainbow smelt

Minnows

Lake chub

Blacknose dace

Redbelly dace

Creek chub

Fallfish (chub)

Longnose sucker

White sucker

Slimy sculpin

## Physical Characteristics

Area - 6700 acres

Maximum depth - 60 feet

Temperatures:

Surface - 75°F

60 feet - 51°F

Principal fisheries: Landlocked salmon, brook trout

Aziscohos Lake is located south of Bosebuck Mountain near the New Hampshire border. It is an artificial impoundment created by damming the Magalloway River, the lake's main inlet and outlet. The lake's shoreline is mostly undeveloped.

Water quality in Aziscohos Lake is good for coldwater gamefish. Spawning and nursery habitat is present in the Magalloway River and utilized by populations of brook trout and salmon. Native populations of these species provide fisheries supplemented by light stockings of salmon.

Aziscohos Lake is accessible via a public launch site at its south end off Route 16. The lake is open to fishing with no live fish as bait with special regulations applying to designated sections of the lake. The lake is closed to ice fishing.

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